20289 to 20424—Continued.

20339. MALUS BACCATA.

Siberian crab apple.

From near Okiansk. "(No. 568a, Oct. 9, 1906.) The ordinary type of *Malus baccata*, seen all over eastern Siberia, northern Korea, and Manchuria. Is wortbless from a fruiting point of view, but may be very valuable as a stock for apples in the northern regions; also in hybridizing with large-fruited varieties it may be possible to produce a perfectly hardy apple far north. At the present, as an ornamental early-flowering shrub or tree it has most value." (*Meyer.*)

20340. MALUS BACCATA.

Siberian crab apple.

From near Saponsky. "(No. 569a, Oct. 19, 1906.) Obtained from the forester of the government nursery at Saponsky. See also 568a (S. P. I. No. 20339)." (Meyer.)

20341. MALUS BACCATA.

Siberian crab apple.

From Khabarovsk. "(No. 570a, Nov. 7, 1906.) Obtained from the forester of the Imperial Domains at Khabarovsk. For other remarks see 568a and 569a (S. P. I. Nos. 20339 and 20340)." (Meyer.)

20342. Prunus pumila.

Sand cherry.

From Khabarovsk. "(No. 571a, Nov. 7, 1906.) A low bush bearing many scarlet cherries, which are generally inedible. Obtained from the forester of the Imperial Domains. Seeds of this cherry were also collected in Korea under Nos. 353a to 356a (S. P. I. Nos. 20085 to 20088)." (Meyer.)

20343. Prunus sp.

Plum.

From Khabarovsk. "(No. 572a, Nov. 7, 1906.) Obtained from the forester of the Imperial Domains at Khabarovsk. May be of use as a stock plant or for breeding purposes." (Meyer.)

20344. Prunus glandulifolia.

Chokecherry.

From Khabarovsk. "(No. 573a, Nov. 7, 1906.) An ornamental chokecherry well adapted for use as a small avenue tree. Seems to be the same as that sent from Korea under No. 348a (S. P. I. No. 20080). Obtained from the forester of the Imperial Domains at Khabarovsk." (Meyer.)

20345. Rubus sp.

Blackberry.

From near Vladivostok. "For description see No. 358a. (S. P. I. No. 20196)." (Meyer.)

20346. Diospyros kaki.

Persimmon.

From Khabarovsk. "(No. 575a, Nov. 14, 1906.) Seeds of a persimmon sold in Khabarovsk by Chinese fruit peddlers, coming from Chefoo, China." (Meyer.)

20347. VITIS AMURENSIS.

Grape.

From Khabarovsk. "(No. 567a, Nov. 7, 1906.) Obtained from the forester of the Imperial Domains at Kharbarovsk. For other remarks see Nos. 551 and 552 (S. P. I. No. 19477) and 564 and 565 (S. P. I. No. 19600)." (Meyer.)

20348. VITIS AMURENSIS.

Grape.

From between Vladivostok and Spask. "(No. 577a, Oct., 1906.) Seed of wild grapes collected at different points in eastern Siberia. See No. 567a (S. P. I. No. 20347)." (Meyer.)

20349. VITIS AMURENSIS.

Grape.

From the mountains near Czernigowka. "(No. 578a, Oct. 23, 1906.) A very large leaved variety. For description see Nos. 564 and 565 (S. P. I. No. 19600)." (Meyer.)